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NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India vide its Judgement dated 02/08/2005 passed in Salem Advocate Bar Association, Tamil Nadu Vs. Union of India issued a direction for nomination of an officer in each department under the State Government to deal with and reply to notices under section 80 of the Code of Civil Procedure and any State Laws requiring service of notice on the Government or the State Official;

And whereas, it has been considered necessary by the State Government to implement the direction of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in all the departments;

Now, therefore, the State Government directs that all the departments shall nominate an officer of the rank of Deputy Secretary or equivalent and above as nodal officer to deal with notices/legal notices as may be the case for the concerned department.

The said officer shall be responsible and accountable to ensure that replies to notices under section 80 or similar provisions made under any State Laws are sent within the periods stipulated in a particular legislation.

All the Heads of Departments shall submit an action taken report with a copy of notification/order issued by them within 15 days from the date of issue of this notification.

BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR.

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CHIEF SECRETARY
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